GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEFENCE
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:407
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SHIFTING OF IDGAH SLAUGHTER HOUSE TO GHAZIPUR
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Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Indian Air Force is against the shifting of idgah slaughter house to Ghazipur near the Hindan Air base in Ghaziabad;

(b) whether it is a fact that Air Chief Marshal has written to Delhi CM to reconsider location of slaughter house to Ghazipur as it would be a hindrance to the Hindon air base;

(c) if so, the response of the Government of Delhi thereon; and

(d) the action taken by the Union Government to ensure that accidents involving bird hits posing great rustic for the fighters are avoided by shifting abattoir?

Answer

MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI PRANAB MUKHERJEE)

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Yes, Sir.

(c) Government of National Capital Territory of Delhi has suggested Indian Air Force (IAF) to approach the Hon`ble Supreme Court.

(d) IAF has approached the Hon`ble Supreme Court on this issue. The matter is sub-judice.